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Conference Theme: Innovation Governance in the Public Sector
ReSPA Panel, Friday, 19 May 2017, 11:00 – 12:30

Regional School of Public Administration (ReSPA)

Title of the Panel:

**Supporting Public Administration Reform (PAR) through
Regional Cooperation in Western Balkans**

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11:00 – 11:05 Video about ReSPA <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1NirxAThR8Q>

11:05 – 11:15 **ReSPA Achievements and Current Activities in Western Balkans**
Ms. Ivana Bajo and Ms Zorana Gajic, ReSPA Secretariat

11:15 – 11:45 Presentation of ReSPA regional comparative analysis on
Managing Implementation of PAR Strategies in Western Balkans
*Mr. Jahi Jahija, Ministry of Information Society and Administration, Republic of Macedonia,
and ReSPA Governing Board Member*
Mr. Endri Gjata, Department of Public Administration, Republic of Albania
*Mr. Lorik Jakupi, Ministry of European Integration, Kosovo^{*1}*

11:45 – 12:00 Presentation of ReSPA regional comparative study on
Better Regulation Efforts in Western Balkans
Ms. Dragana Aleksic, Public Policy Secretariat of the Republic of Serbia
Ms Zorana Gajic, ReSPA Secretariat

12:00 – 12:15 Presentation of ReSPA regional comparative study on
Merit Based Recruitment in Western Balkans – Focus on Montenegro
*Ms. Jadranka Djurkovic, Assistant Director, Human Resources Management Authority of
Montenegro, and ReSPA Governing Board Member*

12:15 – 12:25 Presentation of ReSPA regional comparative study on
General Administrative Procedures in Western Balkans
Ms. Selma Horic, Ministry of Justice of Bosnia and Herzegovina and ReSPA Liaison Officer

12:25 – 12:30 **Closing Remarks**
Ms. Zorana Gajic, ReSPA Secretariat

¹ Kosovo* - this designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence.